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The information disclosure statement (IDS) submitted on 04/13/05 was previously unconsidered. However, upon further review, the IDS is in fact in compliance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.97, since a copy of the reference has been previously provided and cited in the IDS filed 02/24/2005. Accordingly, the IDS filed 04/13/05, which updates the page numbers of the previously cited reference, has been considered by the Examiner.

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